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Sir:

First, Applicants note that this application was withdrawn from issue in favor of a Request for Continued Examination, in February of 2004, as can be verified by referring to PAIR. Nonetheless, Applicants have received no communication from the Patent and Trademark Office in this application since then. Accordingly, Applicants respectfully request to be apprised as soon as possible when they may expect further action.

Also, in compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. Copies of the listed documents are also enclosed, along with a copy of an E.P.O. Seach Report dated June 26, 2005, in which the listed documents other than the Mackinlay article were cited for the first time in any foreign counterpart of this application. The Mackinlay article was cited in an Office Action in Applicants' divisional A.N. 09/845,960, on June 17, 2005.

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

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